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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 28, 2001, please extend the period of time for response two months, to expire on December 28, 2001. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 28, 2001, applicants hereby elect Group XI, claims 45-46, for examination at this time.

In view of the above election, applicants hereby cancel claims 1-44 and 47-49 without prejudice to the filing of any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application. Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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